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IN RE APPLICATION OF: MING-HSIAO HSIEH

SERIAL No.: 09/993,481

GROUP ART UNIT: 2171

EXAMINER: P. Santos

FILED: November 27, 2001

ATTY. REFERENCE: HSIE3022/BEU

FOR: METHOD FOR SYNCHRONOUSLY UPDATING
SCREEN DATA FOR DATABASE APPLICATION
PROGRAM AT CLIENTS OVER NETWORK

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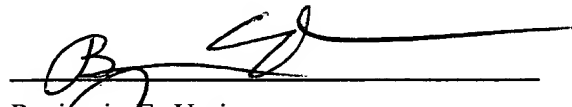
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

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This paper is in response to the Official Action dated March 29, 2004.

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